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Title: Description Template Language for Universal Plug and Play Devices

6 **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

7 To: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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13 **In the Title:**

14 Please delete the title and substitute the following new title:

16 **--XML-BASED LANGUAGE DESCRIPTION FOR CONTROLLED DEVICES--**

18 **In the Specification:**

19 Page 1, beneath the heading "RELATED APPLICATION DATA", please
20 delete lines 3-5 and substitute the following:

22 This is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/496,318,
23 entitled "Dynamic Self-Configuration For Ad Hoc Peer Networking", filed
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